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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Julie A. Kiriara, *et al.*

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For: METHOD FOR ALTERING THE
NUTRITIONAL CONTENT OF PLANT
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Group Art Unit: 1638

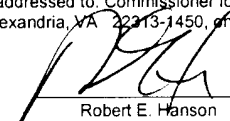
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**RESPONSE TO THIRD OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111; AND
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Sir:

This is in response to the third Office Action mailed on May 21, 2003, for which the date for response is September 22, 2003 in view of the request for a one-month extension of time to respond included herewith and because September 21, 2003 is a Sunday. Reconsideration of the application in view of this paper is respectfully requested.

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